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TAGS: OREP (CLARK, DICK)

SUBJECT: CODEL CLARK: TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR ZAMBIA

1. WE ARE STILL WAITING RESPONSES FROM PRESIDENT, PRIME MINISTER, AND ONE OR TWO OTHER SENIOR ZAMBIANS ABOUT APPOINTMENTS REQUESTED FOR CODEL CLARK.

BASED ON RESPONSES AVAILABLE THUS FAR, WE HAVE BEEN ABLE PUT TOGETHER TENTATIVE RPT TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR CODEL VISIT TO ZAMBIA AS FOLLOWS. CODEL COMMENTS/CONCURRENCE REQUESTED.

AUGUST 23-CODEL ARRIVES LUSAKA 1345. WILL BE MET BY AMBASSADOR, CONTROL OFFICERS, ACTING PAO. FOLLOWING BRIEF AIRPORT PRESS CONFERENCE, CODEL DRIVES TO RIDGEWAY HOTEL TO CHECK IN.

1530-1700-EMBASSY BRIEFING

APPOINTMENTS WITH ONE OR MORE LIBERATION MOVEMENT LEADERS. COMMENT: WE ARE HOLDING OFF BLOCKING IN SPECIFIC TIMES UNTIL WE LEARN WHEN AND IF JONAS SAVIMBI WILL ARRIVE LUSAKA AND BE AVAILABLE MEET CODEL (LUSAKA 1556).

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AUGUST 24-CODEL DEPARTS LUSAKA FOR LIVINGSTONE ON QZ 440,

ARRIVING 1030.
MEETING WITH ANC LEADERS, VISIT VICTORIA FALLS,
LUNCH AT INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL.
DEPART LIVINGSTONE VIA QZ 441 AT 1635 FOR RETURN TO
LUSAKA AT 1755. TRANSFER TO RIDGEWAY HOTEL.
REMAINDER OF EVENING AVAILABLE FOR APPOINT-
MENTS.

AUGUST 25-SO FAR, FOLLOWING MEETINGS ARE SCHEDULED:

1130-DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE HAMAAMBA
1430-REUBEN KAMANGA, CENTRAL COMMITTEE
1530-HUMPHREY MULENGA, CENTRAL COMMITTEE

AUGUST 26-DEPART HOTEL FOR AIRPORT ABOUT 1030.
DEPART LUSAKA FOR BLANTYRE VIA QM 123 AT NOON.

2. PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, BASED ON ASSUMPTION CODEL GOES
TO LIVINGSTONE BY COMMERCIAL FLIGHT RATHER THAN CHARTERED AIRCRAFT
(PARA 4, LUSAKA 1547). CODEL PRESENTLY HAS FOUR SEATS CONFIRMED ON
MORNING FLIGHT, TWO CONFIRMED AND TWO WAIT-LISTED ON RETURN FLIGHT.

3. RE MEETINGS ON ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE MATTERS REQUESTED STATE 194019,
HUMPHREY MULEMBA OF COURSE ABLE PROVIDE CODEL WITH BROAD OVERVIEW
OF ZAMBIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT POLICY.

4. IN SEEKING ARRANGE APPOINTMENTS FOR CODEL WITH FORMER PRIME
MINISTER MAINZA CHONA AND WITH TREVOR COOMBE, BOTH MEN STRESSED
THAT THEY COULD NOT DISCUSS WITH CODEL ANY MATTERS PERTAINING
TO DEVELOPMENTS UNRELATED TO THEIR PRESENT JOBS. CHONA SPECIFICALLY
RULED OUT ANY DISCUSSION OF FOREIGN POLICY OR OF HIS ROLE IN
PREPARING REPORT THAT LED TO ADOPTION OF ONE-PARTY STATE IN 1973.
HE WILLING, HOWEVER, LISTEN TO WHATEVER CODEL MAY HAVE TO SAY ABOUT
AMERICAN POLICIES OR CURRENT US POLITICAL SCENE. COOMBE SAID HE
UNABLE DISCUSS WITH CODEL SOUTH AFRICAN POLITICS WITH WHICH HE NO
LONGER ASSOCIATED. WE WILL PROCEED SCHEDULE APPOINTMENTS FOR
CODEL WITH CHONA AND WITH COOMBE ON BASIS THESE GROUND RULES
UNLESS CODEL ADVISES US OTHERWISE.

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